

## CREDIT CHECK RELEASE

### Authorization to Release Credit Information

**I/We** have applied for a Growth Through Agriculture (GTA) grant and/or loan. As a part of the application process, the Agriculture Development Council and the Department of Agriculture may choose to verify information contained in the application of owners in the company with a 20% or greater ownership and in documents required in connection with the grant and/or loan.

To help in the internal review process, **I/we** authorize any institution to release credit information concerning myself/ourselves or business to the State of Montana, Department of Agriculture and the Agriculture Development Council, and disclose factual information that they may request. Such information includes: employment history and income, bank and account balances, credit history, and copies of income tax returns.

Signature(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Title(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Business Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Id/Federal EIN \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Tax Id/Federal EIN \_\_\_\_\_

Fax or Mail this Form to:

Montana Department of Agriculture  
Attn: Growth Through Agriculture Program  
PO Box 200201  
Helena, MT 59620-0201

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